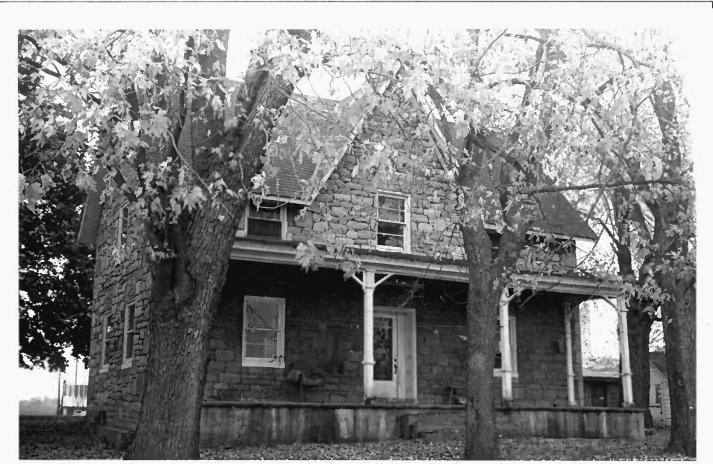
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DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This farm complex is located at the end of a private lane extending in an easterly direction from Marsh Pike near Paramount north of Hagerstown in Washington County, Maryland. The house is situated on an area of level ground and faces south.

The house is a one and a half story, three bay dwelling constructed of coursed local fieldstone. A one and a half story, two bay ell also of stone construction extends to the rear or north. Attached to this is a brick shed roofed addition. Centered in the front elevation is a prominent gable projecting from the south slope of the roof. No decorative masoury is associated with the building.

All windows observed show evidence of extensive alteration. They have narrow modern frames which hold two over two pane sashes with horizontal muntins. The main entrance is located in the center bay of the front elevation. It, like the windows, shows evidence of having been changed from its original appearance.

A one story porch supported by square posts with straight brackets extends along the front elevation. The roof is sheathed with blue asphalt shingles and projects beyond the end walls. A brick chimney is located centrally.

The house appears to be in good to excellent condition. Behind it to the northeast is a large frame bank barn with metal ventilators. The dairy farm contains 103.75 acres.

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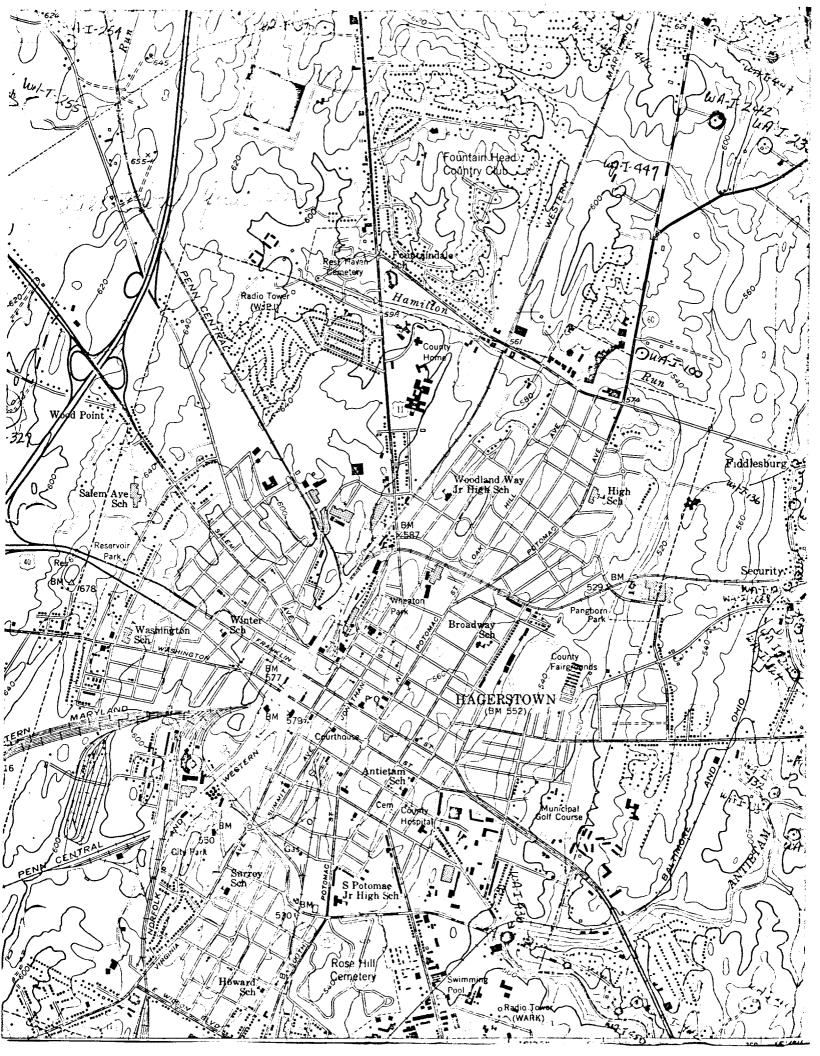
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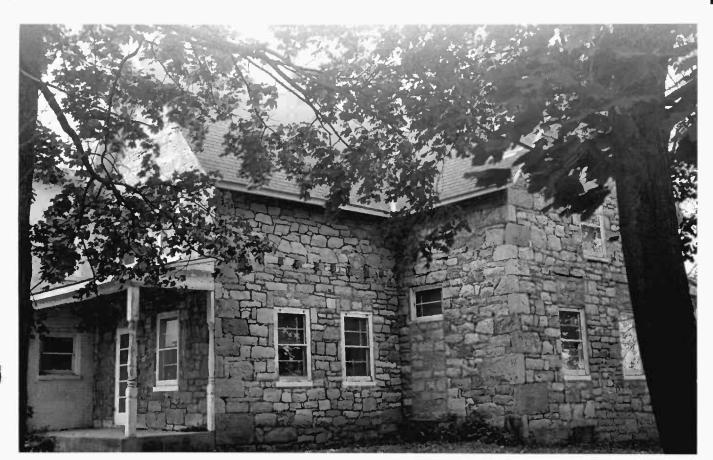
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